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Application No. : 09/903,266  
 Applicant(s) : Barangian et al.  
 Filed : July 11, 2001  
 Title : Methods and Apparatus for Selling, Distributing  
           and Dispensing Fabric Care Products  
 TC/A.U. : 2100/2121  
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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.114

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## INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Office Action of June 1, 2004 (Paper Number 9) please consider the following remarks and reconsider the application. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

*Amendments to the Claims* begin on page 2 of this paper.

*Remarks* begin on page 6 of this paper.

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